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| (b) No corrected drawings have been received.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 7. ⊠ The reason(s) below:  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The applicants have abandoned the application - Pe   | r Ms. Marian Fox on 3/22/2007  |  |  |  |  |  |
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